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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

VALERIE W WAKEFIELD,)	CIVIL DIVISION
)	
Plaintiff,)	Civil Action No. 05 CV 79 -- Erie
)	
v)	Honorable Maurice B. Cohill, Jr
)	
JOY MINING MACHINERY)	
COMPANY, a division of Harnischfeger)	
Industries,)	JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
)	
Defendant)	
)	

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA	:	
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	:	
COUNTY OF VENANGO	:	

AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL BLAUSER

The undersigned, Daniel Blauser, being sworn, deposes and states as follows based on personal knowledge:

- 1 My name is Daniel Blauser.
- 2 I have been employed by Joy Mining for 31 years and have held the following positions: draftsman, engineering change technician, specifications engineer, manager product services and demand manager
- 3 I know Jill Seyler
- 4 I knew Mrs Seyler's late husband
- 5 I knew Mr. Seyler because we worked together at Joy for approximately 20 years and were friends
- 6 Mr. Seyler passed away in September of 1998

7 Following Mr Seyler's death, I was instrumental in Mrs Seyler coming to work at Joy.

8 From February of 2000 to March of 2003, Mrs. Seyler worked for me as a secretary I was her direct supervisor

9 I felt personally responsible for Mrs. Seyler's well-being, based on my personal friendship and business relationship with her late husband.

10 Mrs. Seyler's work station was located close to my office

11 I know Larry Meade

12 I never overheard Mr Meade say anything to Mrs Seyler that either she or I viewed as objectionable in any way

13 Mrs. Seyler never brought to my attention that she was uncomfortable with Mr Meade.

14 I am familiar with Joy's harassment policy

15 Given my personal relationship with Mr. Seyler and my personal concern for Mrs. Seyler's well-being, had she brought any concerns to my attention, or had I personally observed any inappropriate behavior on Mr Meade's part, I would have taken steps to enforce Joy's harassment policy


DANIEL BLAUSER

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

15th day of MARCH, 2007.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

